

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace paragraph [0019] with the following amended paragraph:

-- Figs. 2A-2D illustrate a clip 10 made in accordance with the present invention. Referring specifically to Figs. 2B-2D, the clip 10 includes a body 12 having a step portion or bubble 14 depending therefrom and prong members 16 and 17. As can be seen, the clip 10 has at least one prong member, but preferably has two prong members. As shown in FIG. 2A, for example, the planar width 100 of each of the prong members 16, 17 is less than the planar width 102 of the body 12 of the clip 10, i.e., the prong members 16, 17 are narrower than the body 12. --

Please replace paragraph [0020] with the following amended paragraph:

-- The body 12 is preferably made from a flat blank 20, as illustrated in Fig. 2A and will be described in more detail hereinafter. The body 12 may be of any flexible rigid material. Preferably the body 12 is made of a metal such as steel, copper, aluminum or the like such that it can be formed via a tool to produce the clip 10. Additionally, the clip 10 may be of other material such as molded from plastic, or the like. Desirably, the material thickness of the clip is uniform throughout. Specifically, as shown in the figures, the material thickness of the body 12, the step portion 14, and the prong members 16, 17 is preferably uniform throughout. --